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One of Goebel's Tricks.
One of the most reprehensible tricks turned by the Democratic candidate for governor of Kentucky and his willing tools the election commissioners, was the throwing out of 1,100 votes in Nelson county because the certificate had Taylor's middle initial as P. instead of S. The suspicion of an intentional typographical error attaches to the affair, as the certificate was provided at the office of a Goebel newspaper, from copy prepared by a Goebel sheriff. Nor is that the only evidence of premeditated fraud. The ballots were properly marked and voted, but on account of this certificate, which no Republican or anti-Goebel man was allowed to see, which was only technically defective in typography, these commissioners at one fell swoop disfranchised over 1,000 Kentuckians. The ballots were all right, but they have been destroyed. It is only the mocking certificate that laughs at honesty and sneers at the complaining voters. It will be a sorry day, indeed, for Kentucky if this twice defeated man, Goebel—once in the convention and again at the polls—succeeds in obtaining the governorship by such methods as this and others equally criminal.
But fairness and honesty are not yet dead in Kentucky, when one of the most representative Democratic papers in the state, one which was a staunch supporter of Goebel, the Danville Advocate, condemns the action of the Nelson county election commissioners. The Advocate says: "If a misprint as immaterial as that in Nelson county vitiates the election, the voters have no protection whatever from dishonesty on the part of those persons who prepare and have printed the ballots. Any county clerk can have a name misspelled or have the initials of a candidate incorrectly printed on the ballots. These ballots are not seen by the voters until they go into the booth to vote. None of them reads them, but is guided solely by the device at the head of the ticket he wishes to vote, and stamps opposite the name of the person he seeks to vote for, or stamps under a party device and votes the straight ticket. His ballot is handed him by officers legally chosen to conduct the election, to furnish the voter with a legal ballot, and the assumption is that the ballot conforms strictly to the requirements of the law. If, as it is claimed, the mistake occurred, not in printing the ballots, but in printing the certificates, and that the certificates show that W. P. instead of W. S. Taylor received a certain number of votes, but the ballots themselves proved that the votes were cast for W. S. Taylor, whose name was printed on the ballot, then there should not be the slightest hesitation in counting them for W. S. Taylor, no matter if by so doing he should be elected."

Will Be a Record Year.
The year 1899 promises to make the highest record ever made for the foreign commerce of the United States. The treasury bureau of statistics presents some interesting figures in this connection, the October exports being larger than any preceding October, and the total for the ten months ending with that month is far ahead of a like period in any former year in the history of the country. If the ratio of increase keeps up the grand aggregate for the year will exceed \$2,000,000,000. This has been accomplished in spite of the fact of the Democratic claim that the Dingley tariff bill would run the foreign trade of the country.
This remarkable increase is noted as more surprising by the treasury bulletin because of the absence of the excessive demand abroad for our breadstuffs, which characterized the year 1898. In that year the short crops abroad and plentiful supplies of breadstuffs of all kinds in the United States resulted in an abnormally large exportation of breadstuffs, so that the exportation of agricultural products in the present year naturally falls about \$35,000,000 below that of the corresponding period of last year. Yet the total exportations for the ten months are, as already indicated, more than \$40,000,000 in excess of those of last year.
It is easy, however, to find the cause of this remarkable growth in our total exportations which occurs in the face of the reduction in our exportation of breadstuffs. An examination of the detailed figures of the nine months of the year already accessible shows that the exports of manufactures in that period were \$40,000,000 in excess of those of the corresponding months of the preceding year and \$65,000,000 greater than those of the same months of 1897, while the products of the mine were \$4,000,000

greater than those of the corresponding months of last year, and those of the forest \$6,000,000 in excess of the corresponding months of the preceding year. Thus the year's exportation of agricultural products will be quite up to the normal, while those of manufacture, mining and forestry will exceed those of last year and indeed of any year in our history.

Imports have increased more than exports, for they were unusually low in 1898, while exports were unusually high in that year. The total importation in the ten months ending with October, 1899, is \$558,375,000, against \$527,744,000 in the corresponding months of last year. This large increase in importations is chiefly in supplies for the manufacturers, whose increased exports are already noted, and in foodstuffs which cannot be produced at home.

McLean Played Above the Limit.
There never was a doubt that McLean conducted his campaign almost solely on the boodle plan, and hoped to win success on the purchasing power of his dollars, and it is, therefore, not a startling announcement that the Ohio Republican executive committee has evidence that the Democratic candidate spent much more in his canvass than is permitted under the corrupt practice act. The question that is perplexing the committee is what to do with the evidence they have in hand. It is said that a prosecution coming from them under the circumstances would bear the popular comment of vindictiveness, and that sentimentally it would be taking the unpopular advantage of hitting a man when he is down.

On the other hand it is not their duty, as it would be the duty of any good citizen, to give the courts the benefit of any knowledge of any offense against the statutes they may have in their possession? Would it not partake of the charge of compounding a crime in concealing these facts from the authorities? One argument advanced in favor of letting Mr. McLean alone with his costly stock of experience is that the method he employed has taught a lesson that will be a warning to others embarrassed with riches and having political ambitions, that the secret ballot affords a poor security for lavish expenditure of money. This may be true in a limited sense, but would not the lesson be much more impressive if the offender were legally convicted of the offense? That sort of warning would carry a much more substantial weight with it.

The Rev. Dr. H. W. Thomas, of Chicago, mourns "that America has to-day no Lincoln to confess our error in the Philippines," whereas the Inter Ocean comes back at him beautifully by declaring that "this indicates that Dr. Thomas knows as little of President Lincoln as he knows of the situation in the Philippines. There were those in 1864 and 1865 who protested through the newspapers and by means of public meetings against the relentlessness with which the Union armies closed in on the Confederate armies in Georgia and the Carolinas and at Appomattox. There were those who pleaded then with Abraham Lincoln to 'confess his error,' and in the very hour of victory to surrender all that the Union armies had been fighting for. But Mr. Lincoln pointed simply to the words 'unconditional surrender.'"

In the local columns of this issue appears a very interesting sketch of the old Wheeling Library Association, from the pen of Dr. S. L. Jepson. This will be supplemented by another paper reciting its resurrection under the name of the Wheeling Public Library, and will also have some suggestions as to the future usefulness and enlarged scope of the present institution, which is doing so much for the city from an educational standpoint and broadening the culture of the people.

The Intelligencer does not believe the statements published that Admiral Dewey has transferred his house, the gift of the American people, to his wife so that she may lease or sell it to a certain religious denomination which is said to have coveted the property for some time past. It is eminently creditable to any admirer of the admiral to give the story the slightest shade of credence.

Some of the illustrations of the war scenes in the Transvaal that appear in certain papers in this country are almost as affecting as some of the pictures that add terror to the reader of the patent medicine advertisements that are exploited in the daily press.

Light is breaking. Senator Hoar has declared that "the sober second thought of the American people is to be trusted." The Intelligencer is glad to note this as an indication that the Massachusetts senator is recovering from his anti-imperialistic apoplexy.

If the reported death of General Joubert proves to be true, then will Kruger have lost one of his best generals, but at the same time a man whose heart did not beat at all times in sympathy with the war spirit of the Boers.

Christmas is less than six weeks off, and that same and ever recurring perplexity "What to Give" is with us again.

Their Wives.
Few writers have been more loyally and sympathetically sustained in their work than Rider Haggard, who married the winsome daughter of Major Margitson, a Norfolk neighbor, when he was a stripling of twenty-four, without any thought of literary fame. The wooing and wedding were the episode of a short holiday, and he took his brave young wife to Natal to share with him the exciting and dangerous times that led to the crowning disaster of Majuba hill. Those were days of terrible suspense for the young wife, for she lived amid daily alarms and actually heard from her homestead the sounds of battle from Majuba hill.
No contrast could be greater than between those early days of danger and the quiet of her Norfolk home, to which Mr. Haggard brought her when the war was ended. Here she is ideally happy in the beautiful home of her girlhood days, with her husband and children. Mrs. Haggard, who is a woman of considerable personal charms, with brown eyes and hair and gentle features, takes the keenest interest in all

her husband's work, has a passion for botany and is equally fond of horseriding and travel.
Mrs. Marion Crawford, the daughter of one of the heroes of the Potomac army, is a woman of rare beauty, dark-eyed and golden-haired, with a figure full of grace and stately beauty. Before her marriage Miss Berdan (as she then was) had traveled extensively in Europe and had been as much of a nomad as her husband. Mrs. Crawford leads an ideal life with her husband in their home overlooking the beautiful Bay of Naples. Her mornings are chiefly spent in driving, riding and bathing; the afternoons in yachting, and the evenings she devotes first to her children, whom she adores. When the children are in bed Mrs. Crawford generally reads to his wife what he has written during the day and she criticizes it with rare discernment and literary skill. Like many authors, Mr. Crawford draws much of his best inspiration from his wife.

Caricature Making.
The way in which some artists can distort features without making them unrecognizable is certainly very remarkable. Thomas Nast possessed this faculty to an extraordinary degree and he had a very peculiar way of adding new faces to his mental photograph gallery, says the New York Telegraph. When a fresh subject would arise in politics, for instance, he would invent some pretext to call upon him at his office or house and hold him in conversation as long as possible, studying his features.
When he took his departure he would purposely leave his cane. Once outside Nast would make a hasty pencil sketch on a card and would usually find that his memory was deficient, as to some detail. He would then return, ostensibly for the cane, and another look at the victim would enable him to perfect his sketch. After that he had the man forever.

When Joe Keppler was alive he used to make frequent trips to Washington for the purpose of seeing statesmen whom he wanted to draw. He was very clever at catching likenesses and scarcely ever referred to a photograph.

To Prevent Bigamy.
Chicago Inter-Ocean: To put a stop to the practices of bigamists it may be necessary to have recourse to extreme measures. The reading of the bans for three consecutive Sundays, as of old, would not afford the necessary protection against imposters. The best way to prevent bigamy perhaps would be to have the picture of the intending bridegroom published three times, next to reading matter, in all the daily newspapers. If within ten days no neglected or deserted wife should come forward to claim him the wedding bells might be safely chimed. If, on the contrary, his picture should be recognized by some forlorn wife as that of her long-lost husband, the new marriage contract could be declared off. In every instance the intending bridegroom should be compelled to pay in advance for the insertion of his picture. A man who will not submit to this test of his sincerity is hardly worth a woman's serious attention, anyhow.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.
The cup and saucer should suit to a tea.
The loss of a friend adds one to the list of your enemies.
It's a wise proverb that never has its wisdom questioned.
The things we most desire are those we are unable to comprehend.
Gossip is a beastly habit and other people should not indulge in it.
Enthusiasm sets the pace, but patience always wins the race.
Faith may move mountains, but man continues to tunnel them just the same.
Woman's hysterical tendency has lost her a great many things and gained her but few.
Sometimes the man who feels an elevating love for a woman marries her and gets blown up.
Just before the average man succeeds in making a million out of wind his pipe goes out.
The things that delight the heart of the wife are apt to deplete the purse of the husband.
The woman who kisses another woman she hates may possibly fool herself, but she never fools the other woman.

The Ivy doesn't cling to the stone wall half as tenaciously as the man who is engaged in repairing it at so much per day.
St. Louis is reported to have a private school for females in which the place of honor in every class is at the foot. The reason is obvious.—Chicago Daily News.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
Teeth dig more graves for people than spades do.
A woman judges a man by what he says; a man judges a woman by the way she says it.
A man can always get on the right side of a woman who weighs over a hundred and forty by calling her "little girl."
The average woman makes less fuss over having a cancer than she does over having a house with not enough closets in it.
If a man laughed out loud at his wedding all of the women there would look at him like they thought he must be a Blue Beard.—New York Press.

One Cow That Kicked Melinda.
She went to milk the cow with her hair fluffed round her brow.
And a happy little smile upon her lips; Her hands were brown and strong, and she trilled a happy song.
But—how many of the safest of us slips. The hired man ran in and made a fearful din.
As he hammered on the little cook house window.
And he filled the house with fright as he yelled with all his might.
"The cow has kicked Melinda!"

That silence for a while could be heard for half a mile.
And the horror of it sunk in every heart; But when the shock was over, like bull calves into clover,
You ought to've seen that little household. They found the story true, for she was black and blue;
And her granny piped an order thro' the window.
If the milk she milked is spilled, then the animal must be killed.
The cow that kicked Melinda.
In splendid halls adorning you sit to-morrow morning.
And spread your little napkin for a feed; If you're disappointed much and your teeth do frequent trouble.
Something that is very tough indeed; As you struggle and you sigh, to masticate you try.
And the trolley gong is sounding through the window.
Your spirits I might fear if I whispered in your ear: "That's the cow that kicked Melinda."
—Toronto Globe.

Tea Poisoning.
Victims of tea poisoning are becoming alarmingly prevalent. Women demand the life and variety of health, and instead of doing it naturally by building up their systems they resort to tea. They should take Hostetter's Stomach Bitters instead. It strengthens the digestive organs, this brings brims and good spirits. It tones up the nerves, drives away the blues, regulates the bowels and cures all forms of dyspepsia. All druggists sell it.

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Are symptoms like the following starting you in the face every day:
Weak, sluggish circulation.
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Sallow, yellow, unhealthy complexion.
Urine cloudy, milk-like or stringy; dark in color or offensive.
Painful, scalding sensation in passing it.
Dull, heavy headaches, dizzy, tired feeling, faint spells, irregular heart.
Obliged to go often during the day, and to get up many times at night.
Pain or dull ache in the back.
Feeling of oppression and apprehension.
Restless, irritable, hard to please.
All fagged out, run down, sleepless nights and discouraged.
If you have any of these symptoms, take the advice of one who has made a life study of just such diseases and look well to yourself, because you have kidney trouble.
If your urine when allowed to remain undisturbed in a glass or bottle for twenty-four hours, forms a sediment or settling or has a cloudy appearance, it is evidence that your kidneys need immediate attention.
Bright's disease, which is destroying more human lives than any other disease, may be stealing upon you.
The symptoms you have noticed are the danger signals nature sets to show that the track of health is not clear.

Take Swamp-Root, the famous new discovery, whose fame is being heralded by grateful men and women, saved from untimely graves by its immediate and marvelous power over diseases of the kidneys and bladder.
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If you have the slightest symptom of kidney or bladder trouble, or if there is a trace of it in your family history, send at once to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., who will gladly send you free by mail immediately, without cost to you, a sample bottle of Swamp-Root and a book of wonderful Swamp-Root testimonials. Be sure to say that you read this generous offer in the Wheeling Daily Intelligencer.
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PASSING PLEASANTRIES.

A Paradox.—Knicker—Lots of busts of Dewey, aren't there? Bocker—Yes; but nobody can get ahead of him.—Brooklyn Life.
A Saving.—"Did ye save the country, Pat?" "How's that?" "Be your vote?" "No, begorry. But I saved the rent!"—Philadelphia North American.
The Jew—Isaac was all burned ovid, und no insurance! The Gentile—Drive him crazy, won't it? The Jew—He must have been gray, alretty, pe-fore!—Puck.

"Your Honor," said the learned counsel in concluding his address, "we will now rest." "So will the court," replied the judge with a sigh of relief.—Chicago Evening Post.
"Can you forgive me and love me still," said the newly made bride, "when I confess that my teeth are artificial?" "Thank heaven!" cried the groom, as he snatched off his wig, "now I can cool my head."—Tit-Bits.

Hod Philosophy.—Pat—An honest man is the noblest work of God. Mike—Thru for ye? But there's lots a' honest men that wouldn't be so honest if they would only tell the truth about themselves!—Puck.
"Oh, come, brace up, old man. What if she wouldn't have you? Why, I'll bet in six months you'll have forgotten that you ever cared for her at all." "I guess you've never looked her father up in Bradstreet's, have you?"—Chicago Times-Herald.

Saving Space.—Miss Slimdlet—Here's an advertisement of a 'literary man' who wants board. Does he say he's a literary man to show he's a person of refinement and culture? Mrs. Slimdlet—No; it's to show that he can't pay much.—New York Weekly.

It is the last act of the melodrama. The orchestra sobs gustfully. The heroine sinks into the hero's arms. "And you are very happy?" whispers the hero. "As happy as I can be without ever having played the part of Hamlet," answers the heroine. For she is an artist first, and after that a woman.—Detroit Journal.

Hazel is just six years old. She goes to a kindergarten and is just learning her letters. The other day the teacher was endeavoring to teach her the latter part of the alphabet, and held up a block with a big "T" painted on it. "Hazel, what letter is this?" Hazel thought a long time and called it "T." "No, no, Hazel; you ought to know what this is. What does your father drink every night for supper?" "Beer!" shouted Hazel, and she wondered why the teacher smiled.—Detroit Free Press.

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Full of Music, Specialties and Pretty Girls.
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Engagement of the Favorite American Character Comedian,
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THE CARPETBAGGER.
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The greatest American comedy of recent years. An excellent cast, headed by A. S. Jopman, Special scenery.
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No. 4017 Jacob street, a desirable modern dwelling, very cheap.
A number of desirable building lots along the line of the Erie R.R. in the town of Martins Ferry, at a cheap price.
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Two desirable country residences for winter or summer.
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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.
In the Circuit Court of Ohio County, West Virginia.—In Chancery. No. 123.
J. T. Goodwin and Louis Schradner, plaintiffs in trade doing business under the firm name and style of J. T. Goodwin & Co., plaintiffs, vs.
Richard Ryan, assignee of William & Dickson, William S. Dickson, Melton Hotel Company, a corporation, D. G. Brown, constable, and J. C. McLure and E. W. McLure, defendants.
By virtue of an order entered in the above entitled cause on the 27th day of October, 1899, it was referred to the undersigned commissioner for the following purposes:
First—To settle the account of Richard Ryan, assignee of William & Dickson, and to ascertain all pertinent facts relative to the same.
Second—To ascertain the indebtedness of William S. Dickson and to whom payable, also, what liens, if any, exist against the property of the said William S. Dickson, and their priorities.
Third—To ascertain and report any other pertinent matters that may arise in the interest of the said parties.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned commissioner has fixed upon Wednesday, November 23, 1899, at 9 o'clock a. m., as the time and his office, at 107 Chapline street, in the city of Wheeling, Ohio county, West Virginia, as the place, at which he will proceed to ascertain and report the several matters in said order of reference required.
Given under my hand this 6th day of November, 1899.
C. F. FLICK, Commissioner.
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Solicitors for Plaintiffs.
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